

STATE.

Lead mines have been opened at Laim in Harrison county.

Offers of assistance from business men may put the Somerset National Banking Company in working order.

All of the saloon men at Owingsville were indicted for violating the Sunday closing law.

Assistant Adj. Gen. Murray will go to Washington this week to make requisition for about \$20,000 worth of new equipments for the State Guard.

Former Sheriff Harmon G. Carnwell, one of Shelby county's oldest and most esteemed citizens, died of heart disease at his home a few miles south of Shelbyville.

Mrs. Splau, mother of the trotting horse driver and salesman, John Splau has disappeared from St. Joseph's Hospital at Lexington, and her whereabouts are unknown.

James E. Miller, charged with picking the pocket of J. A. Geary at Lexington, put up \$300 bail and disappeared. The cash was furnished by a man giving the name of G. E. Keiser.

The grand jury at Harlan returned an indictment against Mrs. Jo Stewart, charging her with the murder of Vina Daniel on Brownies creek, Harlan county. The murder is said to have been the result of jealousy.

Robert Noaks, one of the alleged conspirators, has been granted bail in the sum of \$2,000 to appear at Frankfort at the September term of the Circuit Court. This bond was furnished by his attorney, J. C. Maynor, and Noaks left at once for Virginia.

When the news of Caleb Powers' conviction reached Richmond a heated dispute about it arose between L. J. Frazee, Captain of the McCreary Guards, of Richmond, and Cassius Stapp, a wellknown Republican, which terminated in Frazee slapping Stapp's jaws. By-standers separated them.

Mrs. Nancy Marksberry, of Perryville, is dead. She was in good health until the great shock she received in seeing her grandson, Henry M. Hughes brought in mingled and dead from being run over by a railroad train three weeks ago. She was in her eighty-first year.

Mrs. Robert White, of McMuney, attempted suicide at Lexington by taking morphine. Mrs. White had been separated from her husband and she had gone to Lexington, where she located him. He refused to make up and she then took the poison. She will recover.

The citizens of Irvine, Estill county are making a strong effort to have their new Baptist college, proposed to be built by the Baptist Board of Missionary for Kentucky, located at that place. At a mass meeting recently held at Irvine, \$2,000 was subscribed and a site donated.

GUILTY!

Says the Jury in Case of Caleb Powers. Life Sentence was Given

FIRST TO SPEAK IN

The Jury Room Was a Republican—Changed Mind After Hearing the

EVIDENCE AGAINST POWERS

Youtsey Went into Trial Yesterday, Although Quite Sick

The case against Caleb Powers was given to the jury at 1 o'clock p. m., Saturday. Only fifty-three minutes were consumed in the jury room before they brought in a verdict of guilty against Powers, one of the accused accessories to the murder of William Goebel. Two ballots were taken, the first, ballot stood eleven for life imprisonment and one for hanging; the second ballot, all agreed on a life sentence. Powers will try for a new hearing.

The case against Henry E. Youtsey charged with the murder of William Goebel was called Monday, but continued until Thursday on account of the illness of the defendant. The attorney's for the defense asked that the case be continued until the October term of the court, on the grounds that Taylor and Finley were two very important witnesses and that they would be there to testify for Youtsey at that time, but Judge Cantrill immediately overruled the motion, saying: "There was no assurance that the two men would be here at time" Youtsey will, in all probability be the last of the assassins to be tried at this term of the court.

Talks with jurors after they left the courthouse at Georgetown developed the fact that the 53 minutes consumed in the jury room was taken up mostly with reading aloud the instructions and waiting for Judge Cantrill to return.

When the jurymen entered their room, Juror Stone, the oldest man on the panel, was elected foreman. Juror Porter, the only Republican on the jury, was the first to speak. He said: "Gentlemen I am a Republican, and I have said that I did not believe Goebel's murder was the result of a conspiracy. I did not think Caleb Powers could be guilty, but I have heard the evidence, and I am convinced he is."

Others also made talks, and it is said one of the men on the jury intimated that he thought the death penalty ought to be inflicted. However, when a ballot was taken all 12 of the jurors voted for life imprisonment.

The jury which sat in the case was composed of eight Democrats, three anti-Goebel Democrats and one Republican, as follows: I. G. Stone, farmer, anti-Goebel; Harris Musselman, farmer, anti-Goebel;

W. O. Tinder, farmer, anti-Goebel; A. W. Craft, merchant, Democrat; W. P. Munson, farmer, Democrat; W. H. Oldham, merchant, Democrat; George Murphy, Democrat; Ben Ford, farmer, Democrat; J. T. Mulberrv, farmer, Democrat; J. T. Crosswait, carpenter, Democrat; J. C. Porter, school-teacher, Republican; Alonzo Kemper, farmer, Democrat.

One of the jurors said to-night that the jurymen were influenced in making up their verdict by many things in the evidence, but that some of the chief points were Powers's own admission on the stand that he organized the crowd of 1,200 armed mountain men which came to Frankfort January 15, his corroboration of parts of the testimony of Noakes, Golden and Culton, the evidence that he gave Youtsey the key, and that the shot was fired from his office.

General News.

John M. Mercer, his wife and two sons, aged twelve and fourteen years, are in jail at Hardinsburg, Ky., charged with the murder of Thomas Gannaway, aged eighty-five years, details of which were published in Saturday's Times. In a quarrel over a partnership spring one of the Mercers hit the old man with a rock, from the effects of which he died several days later.

Gov. Beckham has increased from \$200 to \$500 the reward for the apprehension and conviction of George Herzog, of Carroll county, a fugitive from justice, who stands charged with the crime of murder.

The Commissioner of Pensions has appointed Drs. E. E. Underwood and H. S. Kellar pension examining surgeons at Frankfort.

Dr. S. L. Parker, of Athens, was shot and wounded by William Talbert. Parker was leaving Talbert's house when Talbert reached home and attempted to kill him. Jealousy was the cause.

Ivan McKinney, son of J. P. McKinney, of Beaver Dam, a well-known traveling man, was drowned at Rochester while bathing.

Near Marble creek, Jessamine county, John Thomas, colored, was killed with buckshot by Mitchell Gum, a white merchant.

Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Anderson, at Lancaster, their daughter, Miss Lula, was married to J. H. Bowman, of Lewis county.

Lawrence Manning, stenographer for Breckinridge & Shelby, at Lexington, has been appointed stenographic secretary to the Philippine Commission, headed by Judge W. H. Taft, of Cincinnati. Mr. Manning is from Clay county.

Joseph Harris, of Knoxville, who is with his relative, Wm. Daugherty, at Stanford, has leased eighty-five acres of land near Eubanks where he has found valuable pain deposits. The chrome yellow and other paints have been tested by experts and pronounced very fine. Mr. Harris is hopeful of making a small fortune out of his discovery.

BELICK.

Messrs. Herrin & Wilson bought 40 head of cattle in this section this week.

Prof. W. S. Hail began school Monday in District No. 114.

Logan Scott was at home Saturday and Sunday from Turkeytown where he is teaching.

Valentine Thompson has 25 head of nice hogs.

Miss Nannie Perkins was with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Della Perkins, Monday and Tuesday.

Dr. H. S. Doolin was here on professional business Monday and Tuesday.

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At last the Powers case has been decided, and one of the most noted cases in the history of the State, is completed. It has proved beyond a doubt to all fair minded men, be they Jew or Gentile, that Culton and Golden told the truth, and that one of the blackest conspiracies that ever polluted the fair name of any State has been unearthed, and that the accomplices in the murder of Gov. Goebel are many. From the evidence introduced accessories before the fact and accessories after the fact abide in almost every nook and corner of this grand old Commonwealth, and especially in the Mountain district. Long have the people of the Mountain part of Kentucky borne the name of being a blood thirsty set, and more clearly has the exposure of this diabolical plot proved the truth of statement. Born and reared in these mountains, we love so dearly, we are indeed made to feel sad to know that the finger of scorn will be pointed at us, let us turn any way we will. Years and years shall have come and gone; generation after generation shall have passed away; many of those who are living today will be known no more forever, yet the stain of the murder of our lamented Governor will yet remain to haunt those who claim the Mountain part of Kentucky as home.

It seems that we have an Indiana right at home in the shape of Harlan county. While Taylor, Finley and others crossed the river to seek protection under the wing of Gov. Mount, the other boys, including John Powers, who is practicing law, corresponding for newspapers, etc., are under the all protecting power of Harlan's brave Governor. We suggest that when a Democratic Governor of Indiana is elected this fall that Taylor et al, remove their headquarters to Harlan court house.

FOR sometime the subject of good roads has been ably discussed through the columns of the SIGNAL by Buck Varnon and others, and of course, we are row, and have been all the time, in full sympathy with everything they have said on the subject. We are at a loss to see how even the most skeptical could now have any doubts as to the wisdom of building pikes in our county. So far as we are individually concerned, we don't travel the roads a great deal, but we know there are a thousand ways in which we would all be benefited thereby. As one of our correspondents said: it's too plain a proposition to call for argument, but the thing to do is, keep it before the people, not let them rest 'till they get to business, and get at it in earnest. We have waded mud and water up to our knees long enough, and we are just as much entitled to some of the comforts of life as any other people, it we have the energy to strive for them.

COL. T. C. CAMPBELL of the prosecution in the Powers case said: "The verdict proves that politics and murder may be regarded as divorced in Kentucky." Let us all hope that what he said may be true. It is a fact, that no honest man will deny, that in some parts of the State, juries are selected on account of their political views, and in many instances, they decide the case the way their political prejudices tell them to decide it. One cause of so much murder in our State is on account of politics entering so largely into the trials of the accused. No one can blame the lawyers for taking advantage of such a state of affairs; in fact, they have it to do in order to prove true to their clients. We are afraid Col. Campbell's words won't hold good in all parts of the State as they did at Georgetown. We know whereof we speak in this matter and it is a shame to the once fair name of our State.

THE hottest campaign ever waged in Kentucky, will open up in a few days. On one side will be Mark Hanna with his boodle, backed by the corporations of the whole United States, and Taylorism, while on the other side will be the great common people. Who are going to be victorious? Are the people of this proud old Commonwealth to sell their birth-rights for a mess of pottage? No, they will never do it, and, when the smoke shall have rolled away next November, old Kentucky will show up with a Democratic majority of twenty thousand. We have a good, safe Democratic majority, beside what Republicans are going to come over and help us, and they are not a few. They can't, nor won't stand imperialism by McKinley and Hanna in the United States, nor government by assassination in Kentucky.

THE Powers have fought their way to Pekin, though China is at peace with the world. This is a peculiar state of affairs, and if this is peace, won't the fur fly, it war should be declared. The Japs seem to be doing the principal part of the fighting, and they are proving themselves to be fighters too. It strikes us that if the Chinese don't want to be converted to the Christian religion, it is their business. At any rate we can't see the propriety in taking so many chances. Let's get our people out of there, and keep them out, 'till we can have some assurance of

their safety. It is not an easy job to whip four hundred million people,—even Chinamen—and the sooner we can honorably withdraw from these the better.

THE Brown Democrats, with twenty-six in attendance, met in Louisville last week for the purpose of reviewing the situation, and seeing what they think is best to do, and the indications now are, that but little will be done. It is hoped that they will see the error of their way and return to their first love, as the election law is to be modified, the great bone of contention.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

WHEREAS, Amid the great and changing scenes of this life, we are forced to pause and drop a tear on the grave of our brother, James G. Carter, who departed this life on Aug. 5th, 1900, at Berea, Ky., therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that we deeply deplore and mourn the death of our worthy brother, and we feel that in his death we have sustained the loss of a faithful member, a worthy associate and a valiant friend.

RESOLVED, That we feel that this lodge has lost a most active and conscientious member, and that Masonry has lost one of its brightest and most intelligent disciples.

RESOLVED, That in token of our brotherly love, and as a mark of our respect to his memory, that the members of this lodge wear the usual badge of mourning for the period of thirty days.

RESOLVED, That we extend to the bereaved family our sincere and heart-felt sympathy in their sad bereavement, and commend them to the Omnipotent hand in their hour of desolation.

RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be spread on the minutes of this lodge, and a copy of the same be presented to the bereaved family, also, that these resolutions of respect be printed in the Masonic Home Journal, The Kentucky Colonel and the Mt. Vernon Signal.

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Charley Rice, of Maywood, is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rice.

Marsh Owens and family are preparing to move back to their home at Marietta.

W. S. Cummins has had a well drilled on his lot on Smith street to a depth of 30 feet.

Mrs. Martin, of Louisville, is visiting her brother, Mr. C. A. Moore at this place.

Misses Ella May Saunders and Virgie Ballard returned to their home in Stanford, Monday after a week's visit to relatives here.

Whooping cough is visitor in our town, and has damaged our schools considerably.

Mrs. W. R. Dillion and daughter

Linda, are visiting relatives in Stanford.

Mrs. Rheinhardt has returned to her home after a two-weeks' visit to friends and relatives in Stanford.

Misses Jessie and Nanine Bagart two pretty Cincinnati girls are visiting their aunt, Mrs. H. W. Rice.

Misses Cleo and Bertena Mullins left Saturday for Lebanon Junction to visit their cousin, Mrs. Jude Thompson.

Geo. Griffin was with home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Luther Mullins and Ed Jones, were down from Mt. Vernon Saturday.

We are glad to note that Mrs. R. S. Elmore and Mrs. M. J. Goodin, both of this place, who have been in the infirmary for some time, will return to their homes Friday, 24th, much improved.

Welcome Mullins has moved back to his home near Orlando.

Tipton, the seven-year-old son of J. E. Singleton, has rheumatism and has been unable to walk for five months.

Judge Ashley Owens is much improved since last week.

W. B. Sigman is having a well drilled on his place here. This is the third new well here this summer, and still water is very scarce.

Mrs. Telitha Gresham of Lancaster, is visiting relatives at this place.

James Bullock, aged 21 years; died at his home here Friday morning after a long illness.

Mrs. J. R. Carter has been visiting Mrs. W. M. Fields at Maywood this week.

Mrs. Will Carpenter has returned from an extended trip to her father, John Farmer near Elizabethtown.

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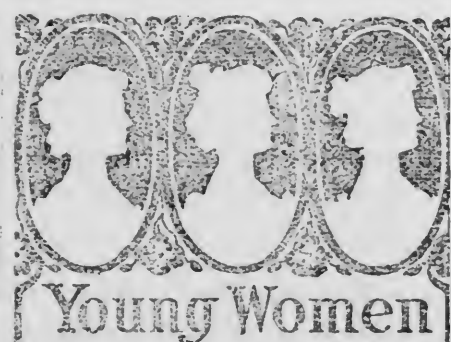
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24 north..... 11:05 a m
26 north..... 1:32 a m
23 south..... 1:57 p m
25 South..... 1:44 a m

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PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE.

James T. Adams is in Louisville.

C. C. Williams is in Virginia on legal business.

George Johnson was in from Orlando Tuesday.

James Crawford was here Monday on business.

Pleas Ramsey has gone to Pleasant View to work.

Brack Graves of Livingston visited relatives here this week.

J. T. Adams took in the convention at Richmond Monday.

Mr. John Cress, of Garrard, was here Wednesday buying stock.

The school per capita for this year, will be 2.45 for each child.

Miss Alza Thompson is visiting relatives in Lincoln and Garrard.

Miss Ellen Butler, of Wildie, attended the Lexington fair last week.

Mrs. Anna Shumate, of near Brodhead, is very sick with typhoid fever.

Mrs. James Painter and children of Corbin are visiting Mrs. Essie Painter.

Squire Dannie Owens and A. E. Albright were up from Brodhead Monday.

Mrs. R. E. Thompson of Lancaster is visiting her mother Mrs. W. M. Poynter.

A motion for a new trial in the case of Caleb Powers, was overruled by Judge Cantrill.

Mr. N. D. Wilmot, of Gum Sulpher, who is fast losing his eyesight was here Monday.

J. E. Singleton traveling salesman of Livingston was with our Merchants here Wednesday.

Mr. W. T. Brooks, of Hazle Patch, passed through on Wednesday's train to Paint Lick.

Squire Granville Owens, one of Brodheads most enterprising citizens was in town Monday on business.

Hon. G. M. Davidson was here Tuesday conferring with Dr. Williams, the Republican nominee for Congress.

Miss Delora Brown of Commerce who has been visiting relatives here for several months, returned home Monday Morning.

Miss Annie Thompson, went home with her cousin Miss Fannie Thompson of Preachersville to spend a few days.

Mrs. D. N. Williams and Cleo Brown, and Judge Williams returned Friday from Malloy Springs. The Judge is slightly improved in health.

E. A. Herrin of Livingston, was here between trains yesterday.

Mrs. Ella Baker has been on a visit to relatives in Berea.

W. M. Fields was on yesterday's train going to his new home in Lincoln.

C. C. Davis, Eugene Mullins and the Editor are at Kings Mountain assisting the Stanford band.

O. P. Taylor, of Green county, formerly of Rockcastle, was here on business this week.

Dr. J. B. Owsley, of Stanford, came up Tuesday to attend the burial of J. J. Williams.

H. H. Baker has sold his farm which is known as the Langford place, to Robt Leger for \$2,000.

T. A. Stewart, of Wildie, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here. He will enter Centre College this fall.

Miss Hattie Car, of Williamsburg, and Miss Hamm, of Livingston were the guests of the Misses Colyer, Sunday last.

Ance Boring will run a restaurant and ice-cream parlor during the Fair, at the Albright stand adjoining Watson's drug store.

Mr. James Pennington, of Jackson county is here visiting his brother Dr. M. Pennington. He will enter College here again this fall.

The Republican convention which met at Richmond Monday nominated Dr. John M. Williams of Rockcastle, as a candidate for congress.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hiatt attended the funeral services of J. J. Williams here Tuesday. Allen says every body in his section are for turn pikes.

Mrs. Lon Boulware, of Kingston accompanied by her nephew, Dick Boulware, came Monday to attend the burial of her brother, Mr. Williams.

J. W. Cromer, of Long Branch and Miss Valencie Pittman, daughter of Jonas Pittman, of Level Green, were married in the County Clerk's office yesterday by the Rev. B. S. Davault.

Wm. Fish, aged 73, and for 20 years Circuit Clerk of this county, died at his home near Wildie Sunday. The burial took place Monday at the Hiatt burying ground. The funeral exercises were conducted by Rev. Mart Owens.

Allen Hiatt had a barn burned about ten days ago, thought to have been set by some petty thief, or tramp who was looking to see what he could find. He lost several bushels of wheat, corn and oats, besides other little things.

Billy Moss Chasteen who is wanted in this county for various and sundry offenses was arrested by Deputy Shiff. Wood and Jailor Griffin in Richmond last Monday night and immediately brought here and put in jail. Some of his trials are set for tomorrow.

Remember the Brodhead fair next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. This is a county enterprise and every one should turn out and help to make it a success. If we want our county to grow and get better, we must help push forward those things which help to improve it.

Judge Colyer, L. W. Bethurum, Geo. Griffin, Sam Lewis, U. G. Baker, W. T. Short, W. A. B. Davis, of Mt. Vernon, W. R. and W. B. Dillion of Livingston, J. I. and H. H. Wood, Bogie Phillips and J. R. Gatliff of Wildie and J. W. Tate and B. A. Riddle of Brodhead, were the delegates from this county who attended the Republican District convention at Richmond Monday.

Mrs. F. L. Thompson is quite sick.

Take your wife and children to the Brodhead fair.

M. C. Williams attended funeral of his uncle J. J. Williams Tuesday.

Jailor, G. S. Griffin has sold the farm near Maretburg which he bought from the Honk heirs to Bert Owens for \$2600.

Mrs. L. B. Adams went to Paint Lick yesterday to see her niece Miss Callie Adams who is very ill of typhoid fever.

Ex Gov. Jas. B. McCreary and Gov. Beckham open the campaign at Henderson on Monday, Sept. 3rd. On that day a speaker will be at the county seat of each county in the state.

The motion to dissolve the injunction procured by the Rockcastle Stone Co., against Ky. Freestone Co. will be argued by Messrs L. W. and B. J. Bethurum for the defense and C. C. Williams for Piff. tomorrow at Williamsburg before Judge Morrow.

Judge Williams pays a very high compliment to the Joseph Price Infirmary, Stanford. Mrs. Patty Brown is a splendid matron, says he; the best of nurses to care for you. and Mrs. Peyton, Carpenter and Brown, three of the ablest physicians in the State to prescribe for you.

We feel ourselves under many obligations to H. S. Thompson, G. B. Thompson, M. Lee, James Singleton and W. H. Cullip, for the many favors done us and the valuable assistance rendered in helping us get new subscribers while attending the G. A. R. at Woodstock last week.

Notice.—The directors of the Brodhead Fair, in getting out their catalogue failed to get in two very important premiums, which we give, as follows:

Best mule 1 year old and under two. \$3. \$2 to 1st and \$1 to second.

Best pair of mules 2 years old and under 3. \$5. \$2 50 to first \$1.50 to second and \$1 to third.

In County Court Pryor Sexton was fined \$1 and cost for breach of the peace, Jacob Clark \$5 and cost on same charge; Alfred Owens and Clay Miller \$1 each for being drunk; Alfred and Steve Owens \$2.50 each for shooting in the town of Livingston; B. Ash and Clay Miller, \$20 each for disturbing religious worship at New Hope. Ed McClure and Jim Doan \$2.50 each for shooting on public road, Robert Riddle \$5 for striking Mrs. Hurt.

A MISTAKE.

In getting out the catalogue of the Brodhead fair, we made a mistake on premiums Nos. 85 and 86. No. 85 should said, Best, Berkshire sow, any age, special premiums by R. B. Lancaster Mining Co. Lebanon Ky. 1 bbl. Lafrance Flour, Value \$6.00 instead of \$1 as it appears in catalogue.

No. 86, should said, Best Boar any age, \$2 to 1st. \$1 to 2nd. \$3, instead of \$5.00.

J. J. WILLIAMS DEAD.

J. J. Williams, aged 73, died of heart trouble at his home, in this place, at 6:45 a. m. Monday morning. For several months it had been a struggle between life and death with him. Not since his store house burned here three years ago, this summer, has he tried to engage in any active business, more than to look after his already large accumulated fortune. Mr. Williams was the wealthiest man in the county and one of the

few of our citizens who has succeeded in making an independent fortune. He leaves a wife and six children to mourn the loss of a devoted husband and a kind and affectionate father. Many times we have heard it said that there was nothing in his power that he was not willing to do for his family—his family's pleasure was his pleasure, and that, we can say of but few men. The funeral services took place from the Christian church at 8 a. m. Tuesday morning conducted by Rev. Cole, after which the burial took place in the cemetery.

A telegram from Alliance, Nebraska, late Sunday evening, brought to the friends and relatives in this county, the sad news of the sudden and untimely death of B. C. Richardson. Mr. Richardson left this county early in the Spring and went to Alliance, Nebraska, where he erected a fine brick building and engaged in the grocery business. On last Sunday, a strolling musician by the name of Cline, came into his place of business accompanied by a lady, Cline was very boisterous, and during the conversation, the lady became offended at some remark made in the store, by whom it was made is not known, and Cline immediately started a fight, in which he was knocked down by Richardson. Cline and the woman were both put out side of the building and went off, every one thinking the trouble was over; but Cline soon secured a revolver and returned, hunted Richardson up and as soon as he found him, opened fire, one shot taking effect in the stomach and the other in the shoulder. Richardson died Sunday night. Cline was arrested and placed in jail. Mr. Richardson's remains were brought to Berea, his old home, Wednesday morning, where the burial took place Wednesday afternoon. Richardson leaves a wife and six children besides a host of friends to mourn his loss.

The cases of Henry Yontsey, charged with the murder of Gov. Goebel, and Holland Whitaker, John Davis and Tallow Dick Combs, indicted as accessories, were continued until October 2. Yontsey was too ill to stand trial now and the attorneys agreed to let the other cases go over. Whitaker, Combs and Davis were granted bail in the sum of \$3,000 each, which they gave and were released.

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Daisy flour per barrel	\$4.45
Labelle flour	\$4.75
Bacon, per lb	10c
Dan'l Boone Soap, 3 cakes	5c
Star Soap, 3 cakes	10c
Rice, No. 1, per lb	7 1/2 c
Granulated Sugar per lb	7c
Extra Light Brown Sugar lb	6 1/2 c
Syrup, Caramel, gal. bucket	35c
Sorghum, best home-made gal.	40c
Shipstuff, per hundred	\$1.00
Calico, all the best brands	6c
Calico, all cheap grades 5c & under	8 1/2 c
Can goods	8 1/2 c
Clothing, suits,	75c to \$15.00
Lard 10c in small lots: 9c in 50 lb lots or more.	
Northern seed oats none on hand	
Corn 25 bu or more per bu	60c
Corn, lots less than 25 bu	65c
Millet hay on hand	
Timothy hay per hundred	\$1.00
Potatoes per bu	75c
Eggs per doz	7 1/2 c
Feathers per lb	40c
Cattle, extra shippers	\$4.75 to 5.00
Cattle, common,	\$2.75 to \$4.00
Hogs, best heavies,	\$5.05
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J. R. Shroat sold to Nim Byrd, 34 feeders, average weight 1150 pounds, for October delivery, at 4 1/2 cents.....Messrs. Prewitt sold to same party, for November delivery, 55 export cattle, average weight 1375--36 at 5 1/4 cents and 19 at 5 cents.—[Mt. Sterling Gazette.]

Mountjoy & Doty sold to John and George Redmon, 35 head of 850 pound feeders at \$4.75; also to J. H. Haggard 24 head at \$4.75. They sold about 160 head last week 500 to 600 pounds at \$4.25 to \$4.60.—[Paris Kentuckian.]

Andrews & Botts have bought of Bath county parties 31 yearling steers for October delivery at \$4.50.....C. A. Peters this week sold to Jno. N. Lee 15 yearling steers at \$4.50 for October delivery. He also bought of W. S. Irwin spot delivery, 7 yearlings at \$4.50; also of Sam Ralls 14 yearling mules at \$55.....Peters & Saunders have bought about 200 two-year-olds for October delivery at \$4.25 to \$4.40; they also sold to Bourbon parties about 150 at \$4.50 \$4.75.—[Flemingsburg Times Democrat.]

The second Annual Meeting of Middlesboro Fair and Carnival will be held this year, Sept. 12, 13, 14, and 15th. The affair, promises to eclipse, in every way, last year's fair. A new half mile tract has been built, besides many other improvements on the grounds. The racing promises to be a feature, as good purses have been hung up, and several strings of horses will be there to compete. This year the amusement feature will consist of several high-class shows, such as "a flying girl," "a slide for life," balloon ascension, parachute jump, Oriental American dancing girls, Tribe of Arab Acrobats, big men and little women, besides many other Midway features. One premium of ten dollars in gold is to be given to the best country fiddler. One fare for the round trip on all railroads.

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1820.....	9,633,822	1870.....	38,558,371
1830.....	12,866,020	1880.....	50,155,783
1840.....	17,059,453	1890.....	62,622,250
1850.....	23,191,876	1900.....	Guess

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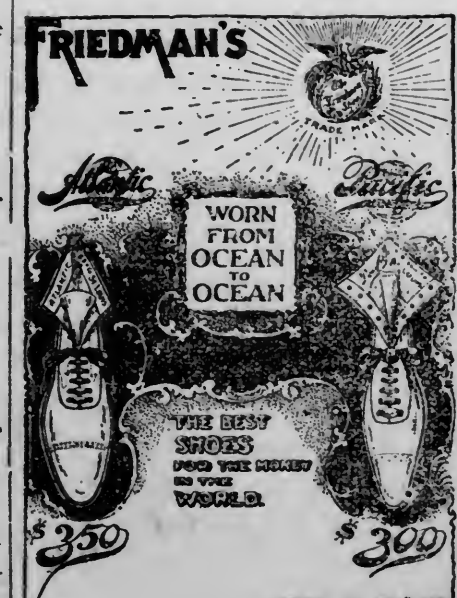
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